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UM STUDENT RECEIVES \$7,000 FELLOWSHIP

A University of Montana biology major will have an extra \$7,000 when she begins medical school next year at the University of Washington.

Sandra Beirne of Walla, Walla, Wash., received the Phi Kappa Phi Fellowship to assist with her postgraduate studies. Beirne, a senior in the Division of Biological Sciences, also is enrolled in UM's Davidson Honors College.

She is a member of the UM chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, a nonprofit organization dedicated to recognizing and promoting superior scholarship in all academic disciplines. Founded in 1897, the honor society's members are chosen from the upper 5 percent of students in their junior year and the upper 10 percent of seniors, as well as outstanding graduate students, faculty and alumni.

Beirne is a 1995 graduate of Walla Walla High School and the daughter of James and Jeanne Beirne.

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